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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Hua XU et al.

Title: COMBINATION CANCER  
THERAPY WITH A GST-  
ACTIVATED ANTICANCER  
COMPOUND AND ANOTHER  
ANTICANCER THERAPY

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**COMMUNICATION REGARDING OCTOBER 2005 SUPPLEMENTAL IDS**

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Sir:

Applicants submit the present communication to clarify the supplemental information disclosure statement filed October 7, 2005 regarding the present application that was filed on November 14, 2003 and that claims priority to provisional application 60/426,983 filed November 15, 2002. Applicants request that the Examiner indicate consideration of this communication in the next office action.

Items 6A, 6B, and 6C of the supplemental IDS relate to the 94<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the AACR (American Association for Cancer Research). The 94<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting was scheduled for April 5-9 2003 in Toronto but did not take place. The meeting was canceled because of the SARS epidemic and was rescheduled for Washington DC in July 2003. The "Proceedings" for that meeting (the book of abstracts) was posted online on 10 March 2003 and the print version

was mailed on 13 March 2003 (according to AACR).

Item 6A is described as "Abstract #1722 from Pro. Amer. Assn. Cancer Res., v. 44, which was made available at the AACR Annual Meeting, 4 pgs, April 5, 2003 (first day of the meeting)" – (underlining added for emphasis). This statement is incorrect; the correct description is "Abstract #1722 from Proc. Amer. Assn. Cancer Res., v. 44, 4 pgs, March 10, 2003 (date of posting on AACR Website)".

Item 6B is described as "Poster (Xu, et al.) from Pro. Am. Assn. Cancer Res., which was shown at the AACR Annual Meeting, 1 pg., April 6, 2003". Although this item was created for the meeting, it was not shown because of the cancellation and rescheduling of the meeting. A poster of the same general content was shown after the filing of the present application at the 95<sup>th</sup> AACR in April 2004.

Item 6C is described as "Telik press release ... April 9, 2003". The description is correct as is the 9 April 2003 press release date. However, it contains an incorrect statement on the second page of the press release document concerning Abstract # LB123, because the abstract was not published in the "Proceedings" as described.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 CFR §§ 1.16-1.17, to Deposit Account No. 50-0872.

Respectfully submitted,

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